

Maryland Health Access Assessment Tool
Dorchester County Profile

1. Safety Net Organizations and Sites

Number of organizations	2
Number of sites	5

2. Type of Facility

Type of Facility	Number of Sites
Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) or Look-alike	3
Native Hawaiian health center	0
Tribal/urban Indian health center	0
Tuberculosis clinic	0
Sexually transmitted disease clinic	1
Title X Family Planning clinic	1
Ryan White HIV/AIDs program grantees	1
Comprehensive Hemophilia diagnostic treatment center	0
Independent medical group	0
Hospital-based clinic	0
Local health department	2
Academic practice	0
School based health center	1
Free or charitable clinic	0
Migrant health center	0
Health care program for the homeless	0
Mobile clinic	0
Other	
Addiction program	1

3. County Population¹

Civilian non-institutionalized population	32,085
With health insurance coverage	28,495
With private health insurance	19,648
With public coverage	14,162
No health insurance coverage	3,590

¹ American Community Survey, 2009-2011

4. Safety Net Patients

Total patients treated in safety net facilities	19,066
Total uninsured patients including PAC	6,394
Total Medicaid/SCHIP patients	7,815
Total Medicare patients	1,643
Total private insurance patients	4,289

5. Safety Net Providers

Primary Care Providers	Number	FTE
Family Medicine	2	1.50
General Practice	0	0
Internal Medicine	0	0
Pediatrics	0	0
Obstetrics/gynecology	1	1.00
Physician assistants	1	0
Nurse practitioners	5	3.90
Dental Care Providers	Number	FTE
Dentists	3	2.40
Dental hygienists/assistants	2	n/a
Mental Health Providers	Number	FTE
Psychiatrists	0	0
Behavioral/mental health providers	18	17.05

6. Population to Provider Ratio

Type of Provider	Safety Net Patients to Safety Net Provider Ratio
Primary Care	2,979:1
Dental Care	7,944:1
Mental Health	1,118:1
Type of Provider	Current Uninsured Population¹ to Safety Net Provider Ratio
Primary Care	561:1
Dental Care	1,496:1
Mental Health	211:1

7. Essential Health Benefits

Facilities providing the following Essential Health Benefits:	Number of Sites
Ambulatory patient services	3
Adult dental care	1
Adult vision care	0
Maternity and newborn care	1
Mental health and substance use disorder services, including behavioral health treatment	2
Prescription drugs	1
Rehabilitative and habilitative services and devices	0
Laboratory services	0
Preventive and wellness services and chronic disease management	4
Pediatric primary care	2
Pediatric dental care	1
Pediatric vision care	0
All services	0